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Communication, Measurement and Data	
Functions"	• }
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## Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 7th, 2007 as well as a response to discussion with Examiner.

The following contents are included in this communication:

- CLAIM AMENDMENTS
- REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE
- RESPONSE TO EXAMINER REMARKS CLAIMS 20-36
- SUPPORT FOR AMENDED CLAIM 19 IN THE SPECIFICATION
- REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION WITH EXTENSION
- PETITION FOR 3 MONTH EXTENSION

Claim 19 has been amended as discussed with Examiner September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2007. As discussed, we have now narrowed this claim and provided very specific language for this invention. Other claims have been amended or withdrawn in response to Examiner's Remarks Office Action March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2007.

Reasons for allowance are then presented. Discussion of reasons for allowance in light of KSR Int'l Co. v. Teleflex, Inc., No. 04-1350 (U.S. Apr. 30, 2007) are included. It is proposed that KSR provides even stronger support in favor of allowance.